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In re application of:

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 10, 2006 in the above-identified application:

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